

23 December 1953

Mr. Harvey Bishop
Director of Admissions
Advanced Management Program
Graduate School of Business Administration
Harvard University
Soldiers Field
Boston, Massachusetts

RE: [REDACTED]

STATINTL

Dear Harvey:

I have just sat on the Board which approved [REDACTED] application for the spring session of the Advanced Management Program. I hope the school will find it possible to accept him.

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I have known [REDACTED] quite well for two years during which time he has been within my immediate chain of command, sometimes reporting directly to me. He is an extraordinarily competent and effective administrator of a large specialized government program. He is largely self-made and intensely pragmatic in his approach to problems. I believe that he is just the kind of person who profits most from your program and who will contribute quite uniquely to your discussions. His field -- geographic intelligence -- is fortunately not particularly sensitive so that there is no reason for him not to be fairly specific in making his point.

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The Agency has high hopes for [REDACTED] future and contemplates ultimate considerable widening of his responsibilities. I personally have found him to be a strong and able administrator with excellent judgment and a high degree of conscientious follow through. From what I know first and second hand of your Program, I am certain that it fits his needs admirably and that he is the type that the Program seeks.

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Very sincerely,

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1 - TRAINING [REDACTED]

/s/
Robert Amery, Jr.
Deputy Director/Intelligence

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23 December 1953

MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Training

SUBJECT: Candidates for Advanced Management Course at
Harvard University

1. Attached is the original copy of the approval by the Deputy Director of Central Intelligence of the nominations made by the CIA Career Service Board at its meeting on 21 December 1953 for the Advanced Management Course at the Graduate School of Business Administration, Harvard University.

2. It is believed that it is appropriate for this original approval to be kept among the records of the Office of Training. Please note that it was hand carried and did not go through the Executive Registry of the Director's Office and, therefore, has no Executive Registry number.

FOR THE CIA CAREER SERVICE BOARD:

/s/


Executive Secretary

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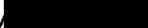
Attachment - as stated

cc: Executive Assistant to the Director
Chairman, CIA Career Service Board

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